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Stahmer, Stromer, Stull, Syas, Waldron, Warner, Whitney, Wiltse. Voting nay, none. Not voting Senators Anderson, Kremer, and Frank Lewis. Senator Kremer voting aye. 47 ayes, 0 nays, 2 not voting.

PRESIDENT: The bill is passed with the emergency clause attached. Are there other bills for introduction now?

CLERK: None, Mr. President, we have a notice of committee hearing for Miscellaneous Subjects. It's signing bills for hearing (Signed) Senator Waldron, Chairman.

PRESIDENT: Thank you. Any other notices on the desk?

CLERK: None, Mr. President.

PRESIDENT: Senator Waldron for what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR WALDRON: Mr. President, I rise in order to ask the Legislature permission to use the Legislative Chambers of a hearing this afternoon for the Miscellaneous Subjects Committee at 2:00 p.m.

PRESIDENT: Senator Waldron, Senator Syas has made the point, you understand you can't use the desks.

SENATOR WALDRON: Yes, I think the Sergeant of Arms takes care of that problem each time that we use it, making sure that no one gets into the seats. And while there is some abuse, if I see it I will remind them not to use the desks.

PRESIDENT: Let's see if we can do it by unanimous consent. Are there objections to Senator Waldron's using the Chambers this afternoon for a hearing. Any objections. So ordered then. Senator Luedtke for what purpose do you rise?

SENATOR LUEDTKE: Mr. President, I ask to be excused this afternoon and tomorrow.

PRESIDENT: Are there objections to Senator Luedtke's absence today and tomorrow. Or this afternoon and tomorrow. Do you object Senator Proud? Are you objecting.

SENATOR PROUD: No, but I would like to be excused the 5th and the 6th of February.

PRESIDENT: All right. Are there objections to Senator Luedtke's absence? So ordered. He is excused this afternoon and tomorrow. Senator Proud has asked to be excused February 5th and 6th. Are there objections to his absence at that time? Hearing none. So ordered. Stand by. Senator Syas in reply to your earlier request. The Chair has been advised that the possibility it is the Senator's themselves are causing some of the congestion and the problems back there, and so I am feeding this back to you so the body will know that we have had a report on that particular condition that you brought to our attention. And that seems to be at least part of the problem.

SENATOR SYAS: That's part of the problem, and I think they should make way too.

PRESIDENT: Thank you, we will take care of it. Yes, Sir. You can considered it done. So ordered. What other business